

PATENT APPLICATION
Docket: 15436.247.2.1.2

### IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of		)
	Lewis B. Aronson, et al.	<u> </u>
Serial No.:	10/629,725	) Art Unit ) 2681
Filed:	July 28, 2003	)
For:	INTEGRATED CIRCUIT WITH DUAL EYE OPENERS	)
Examiner:	Unassigned	)

#### PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(e)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The U.S. Patent & Trademark Office issued a Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application on June 15, 2004 in the above-referenced patent application. The Notice alleged that the patent application was filed with the omission of page 45 of the specification.

With this petition, the Applicants contend that the allegedly omitted page 45 of the specification was in fact deposited in the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office with the patent application papers on the filing date, July 28, 2003.

Applicants respectfully submit that the fact that page 45 of the specification was deposited with the patent application papers is hereby established in view of the evidentiary documents that accompany this petition in Exhibits A, B, C and D.

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Exhibit A includes a copy of the date-stamped postcard receipt that indicates that the application papers as filed included 47 pages of the application. Exhibit B includes a copy of the Certificate of Mailing by "Express Mail", which certifies that the patent application papers filed on July 28, 2003 included 47 pages of the application. Exhibit C is a copy of the Utility Patent Application Transmittal, which references 47 pages of the application that were filed on July 28, 2003. Exhibit D is a copy of page 45 of the specification that was referenced in the documents of Exhibits A, B, and C which were filed on July 28, 2003.

Applicants point out that the 47 pages of specification include page 45 and also include all of the drawings referenced in the specification of the patent application. "A postcard receipt which itemizes and properly identifies the items which are being filed serves as prima facie evidence of receipt in the USPTO of all the items listed thereon on the date stamped thereon by the USPTO." (M.P.E.P. §503). Because the postcard indicates that page 45 was filed, Applicants respectfully submit that the fact that page 45 was deposited with the patent application papers has been established. In addition, the copies of the certificate of mailing and the patent application cover sheet in Exhibits B and C represent further evidence of the deposit of page 45 with the patent application papers.

Thus, Applicants respectfully request that the U.S. Patent & Trademark Office recognize that the Applicants have established the fact that page 45 was filed with the patent application papers on the filing date. Applicants also request a refund of the petition fee of 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h) that has been paid with this petition based on the establishment herein of the fact that page 45 was deposited with the patent application papers.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee or to credit any overpayment in connection with this Petition to Deposit Account No. 23-3178. Duplicate copies of this sheet are enclosed.

This Petition was originally filed via Express Mail August 5, 2004, without the attached Exhibits A, B, C and D. It is being filed again on this day via facsimile to include Exhibits A-D that were excluded on August 5, 2004.

Dated this 12 day of August, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

R. BURNS ISRAELSEN Attorney for Applicant

Registration No. 42,685

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Invention:

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I hereby certify that the following correspondence:

Utility Patent Application Transmittal (4 pgs, in triplicate); Patent Application (47 pgs); Drawings (33 pgs); PTO-2038 in the amount of \$1,200.00 (1 pg); Certificate of Express Mailing Label EV 302 232 473 US; and postcard

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is being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 CFR 1.10 in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

> July 28, 2003 (Date)



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5.	Incorporation By Reference (usable if Box 4b is checked)  The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied under Box 4b, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.									
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#### **Accompanying Application Parts (Continued)**

17. Additional Enclosures (please identify below):

PTO-2038 form in the amount of \$1,200.00.

\*\*\*This application is a divisional of U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/420,027, "Transceiver Module and Integrated Circuit With Dual Eye Openers," filed April 17, 2003, which claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/410,509, filed September 13, 2002 and which also claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/391,877, filed June 25, 2002. The foregoing patent applications are incorporated herein by reference in their entirety.\*\*\*

#### Request That Application Not Be Published Pursuant To 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)

18. Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2), Applicant hereby requests that this patent application not be published pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(1). Applicant hereby certifies that the invention disclosed in this application has not and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication of applications 18 months after filing of the application.

#### Warning

An applicant who makes a request not to publish, but who subsequently files in a foreign country or under a multilateral international agreement specified in 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(l), must notify the Director of such filing not later than 45 days after the date of the filing of such foreign or international application. A failure of the applicant to provide such notice within the prescribed period shall result in the application being regarded as abandoned, unless it is shown to the satisfaction of the Director that the delay in submitting the notice was unintentional.

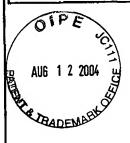


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Dated: July 28, 2003 R. Burns Israelsen Attorney for Applicant Registration No. 42,685

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31. In an integrated circuit for use in a transceiver module, a method for managing power consumption of the integrated circuit comprising:

determining a mode of operation for the integrated circuit; and

powering down power-consuming circuitries not required for the mode of operation, the

powered down circuitries selected from a group consisting of:

a receiver eye opener circuitry;

a transmitter eye opener circuitry; and

eye opener related circuitries.